Year 11 English Studies

Week 8 Activities. You can do these activities together or on your own- whichever you prefer.

Share houses

1. Brainstorm everything you can think of that might go wrong sharing a house with a group of people
2. Write a list of house rules that includes cleaning, cooking, music, paying bills and having people stay over.

Buying a car

The aim of these activities is to give you some of the information you will need if you decide to buy a car.

1. Read the information at <http://www.b4usplashcash.ocba.sa.gov.au/car.html>
2. Write a checklist of steps to take when buying a car (in your own words).
3. Go to <https://portalsrvs.det.nsw.edu.au/learningobjects/Content/L2703/object/index.html> and complete the activities. (you will need to log in, if the link doesn’t work go to TALE and search for “Green Machine, UTE”)
4. Write down 2 things that effect a cars energy efficiency
5. Go to <https://portalsrvs.det.nsw.edu.au/learningobjects/Content/L1366/object/index.html>

(or TALE search “Car safety checks before buying”) and complete the activities.

1. Go to <https://portalsrvs.det.nsw.edu.au/learningobjects/Content/L9087/object/index.html> (or TALE search “Safe or Sorry, insurance”) and complete the activities.
2. Go to [www.countrycars.com.au](http://www.countrycars.com.au) and find the best car you can for less than $10 000. Write down which one you chose, why and how much it is.
3. Find the loan calculator for the bank you use and work out how long it would take to pay of the car if you could afford to pay $150 a fortnight in repayments.
4. If you don’t already have your learners, go to <https://portalsrvs.det.nsw.edu.au/learningobjects/Content/L9087/object/index.html> and practice for the driver knowledge test.